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Jeff S. Jordan
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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 6617 (American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO)

Dear Mr. Jordan:

I represent the American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees ("AFSCME" or "Respondent") in the above-captioned matter. Enclosed, please find an executed Statement of Designation of Counsel confirming this representation.

Yesterday, AFSCME received your letter transmitting the complaint filed in this matter. Respondent is provided 15 days from receipt of the complaint within which to respond and to demonstrate why no action should be taken. See 11 C.F.R. § 111.6(a). In this case, the due date for AFSCME's response would be August 24, 2012. However, due to the existing work and travel schedules of counsel, additional time is necessary to prepare a response. I respectfully request an additional 14 days within which to respond, up to and including September 7, 2012.

Your favorable consideration of this request is appreciated.

Singerely,

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Associate General Counsel

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Enclosure

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Information is being sought as part of an investigation being conducted by the Federal Election Commission and the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) apply. This section prohibits making public any investigation conducted by the Federal Election Commission without the express written consent of the person under investigation

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